

**Children & Families Committee  
Work Programme 2008/9**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Issue</b>	<b>Detail</b>	<b>Committee recommendations and follow up work required</b>
June 18 <sup>th</sup> 2008  <b>Report Deadline:</b>  <b>Monday June 2nd</b>	Equalities impact of school places provision in the south of the borough	The committee wishes to explore claims that black pupils in the south of the borough face 'structural discrimination' as they have to travel further to get to school than their Asian counterparts who live in the North. The report from the C&F could detail the correspondence that has taken place between the council and Equalities and Human Rights Commission	
	Development of 14-19 provision.	Summary of 14-19 year audit and analysis of destinations at age 16	
	Work Programme	Report setting out the work programme for the year ahead and inviting members to make suggestions on areas for review.	
	Youth Parliament	Update on first year activities of the Youth Parliament	
	School Places verbal update	Update on school places, including number of children awaiting school places.	
September 10 <sup>th</sup> 2008	Teacher turnover and recruitment	Trends in the recruitment and retention of teaching staff . Highlighting any areas of concern and what council is doing to facilitate stability of teaching	

<b>Report Deadline:</b> Friday August 22 <sup>nd</sup>		posts.	
	Support for Somali Parents update	The new school funding formula made provision for extra funding to support underachieving pupils. This report should give an update on the extra support made available to support Somali Parents.	
	Youth Sports Provision	Report to include details of in and out of school sports provision available to young people in the borough. Including the work of the voluntary and community sector in providing these services. To also include a map of where these facilities are located in the borough.	
	Looked After Children report	Progress on work to improve outcomes for looked after children including stability of placements and progress on LAA targets.	
	Healthy Relationships interim report	Interim report from the healthy relationships task group who have been looking at how to involve parents and faith groups in talking to young people about sex and relationships.	
	School places verbal update.	Update on school places, including number of children awaiting school places.	
	School places report	Full overview of the work to provide more school places at both primary and secondary level in the	

November 26 <sup>th</sup> 2008  <b>Report Deadline:</b> Monday November 10 <sup>th</sup>		borough. Report to also include progress on Wembley academy.	
	Homophobic bullying in schools	Audit of homophobic bullying policies in all Brent Schools.	
	LAA progress report	Progress on local area agreements partnership arrangements, highlighting any areas of concern where LAA targets may not be met.	
	Special Educational Needs	Overview of special needs provision in the borough and future plans.	
	Healthy Relationships Task Group.	Final report of the Healthy Relationships Task Group.	
January 21 <sup>st</sup> 2009  <b>Report Deadline:</b> Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> January			
March 10 <sup>th</sup> 2009  <b>Report Deadline:</b>			

23 <sup>rd</sup> February			
29 <sup>th</sup> April 2009	Developing integrated services for children.	Progress on plans to develop closer working between the Council and the PCT to improve outcomes for children.	
<b>Report Deadline: Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April</b>			